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**Subject: WPCLF – ARRA 2009 Project Nominations  
Little Miami Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvements  
WPCLF Loan No. 392878-01**

Dear Ms. Walkenspaw:

Thank you very much for the clarity provided in Mr. Monsarrat's August 10, 2009 email message regarding options available to the Metropolitan Sewer District for ARRA stimulus funding. Your office has made available the option of increasing the stimulus funding for the referenced project to an amount equal to 50 percent of eligible project costs, but not greater than the proportionate share of \$5 million. Our preference is to proceed with the option of increasing ARRA funding for the Little Miami project as described above and consequently eliminate ARRA funding for the other 3 projects.

Since the loan amount for the referenced project will exceed \$10 million, stimulus funding for 3 of our other projects (Kemper Sewer Repair, Hengehold Pump Station Elimination and Charlemar Sewer Replacement) would, as a consequence of the proportionate share limitation, be reduced to zero.

As indicated in Mr. Monsarrat's message, this change would reduce state and local administrative costs related to our projects.

Based on Mr. Monsarrat's message, we will terminate activities related to making Kemper Sewer Repair, Hengehold Pump Station Elimination and Charlemar Sewer Replacement ready for WPCLF loans.

We appreciate your continued cooperation with our projects.

Sincerely,

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